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High Performance Switchable Polarizers for Optical Projection Displays and Circuits for Driving the

**Polarizers** 

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# **AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

This Amendment is in reply to the Office Action dated June 18, 2002. Please amend the application as follows.

# **CLAIMS**

#### Please amend claim 17 as follows:

- 17. A switchable polarizing apparatus for optical projection displays, said apparatus comprising:
- a first electrode for receiving a first driving signal, and a second electrode for receiving a second driving signal, wherein the first and second driving signals are different;
- a layer of liquid crystal material positioned between the first and second electrodes;

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